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1 This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application ☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:
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2 (Complete) Title: without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3 ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).

4 8 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims);

6 10 Numbered claim(s); and

5 ☐ Specification in non-English language

8 ☐ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☐ 11"

7 ☐ Drawings: sheet(s) ☐ 1 set informal;

DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

| | Application No. | Filing Date | Application No. | Filing Date |
|-----|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| (1) | PCT/GB99/03560 | October 27, 1999 | (2) | |
| (3) | | | (4) | |
| (5) | | | (6) | |

10. **FOREIGN** priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in Great Britain

| | Application No. | Filing Date | Application No. | Filing Date |
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| (1) | 9823455.2 | October 28, 1998 | (2) | |
| (3) | | | (4) | |
| (5) | | | | |

11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) filed on

12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No.

13. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete item 14 or 15.)

14. This application claims benefit of the following prior US application(s), the contents of which are incorporated into this application by this reference:

No. 99/ 03560 filed October 27, 1999
No. / filed
No. / filed
No. PCT / filed

Designated the U.S. and that International Application ☐ was ☐ was not published under PCT Article 21(2) in English

15. ☒ See the attached Preliminary Amendment, which amends the specification to claim benefit of the above listed US applications

16. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☐ not needed ☐ previously filed

17. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed (pre-filing confirmation required)

17(a) ☐ Attached: essential to make claim

17(b) ☐ See NONPUBLICATION REQUEST under Rule 213(a) attached (Pat-258)

18. ☐ Assignee (optional):

19. ☒ Attached: Preliminary Amendment, Information Disclosure States, PTO-1449, International Search Report, International Preliminary Examination Report, Specifications with claims and abstract

20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) (Double check instructions for accuracy.):
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21. NOTE: FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, "X" ☐ and list additional inventors on attached sheet (incorporated by reference)

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